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HURRAH FOR CHICAGO

Outraged Citizens Pitched Snow

Banks Back on the Tracks.

After Which They Proceed to Black the

Eyes of Railroad Officials Who

Came to Interfere.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18 .- The deep snow left

by the blizzard of last Monday has pro-

voked frequent collisions between the em-

ployes of the street-car companies and resi-

dents on the streets on which cars are run.

The scrapers and snow plows of the com-

panies have thrown up high banks of snow

in front of the buildings, which makes it

difficult in many places for residents to use

the streets at all. They resented this in

several instances by throwing the snow

back on the track. Gangs of employes

called to shovel off the snow were met

with vigorous measures. Late yesterday af-

ternoon there was a lively row on Ashland

boulevard, and Superintendent Neagle, of

the West Chicago street railway, was badly

injured. The crowd was making it very

warm for Division Superintendent Shabuck.

having knocked him down and thrown him

into a snow bank, when his cries brought a

number of the street-car employes to the

scene. Superintendent Nagle was among

the first. He forced his way through the

crowd and was compelled to resort to the

use of his fists in order to get to where

Shabuck was struggling with his assailants.

When he neared the struggling man some

one struck him a stunning blow on the

head which nearly caused him to fall to the

ground. As he tried to force his way through again a young fellow rushed on

him with a clasp knife and cut him badly

in the face. The fight died out after Nagle

was hurt, and when the police arrived there

was nothing for them to do but go back

DRAWING THE COLOR LINE.

Annual Meeting of the National L. A.

W. Has a Fight on Its Hands.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 18.-To-day was

spent in a caucus by the delegates to the

National League of American Wheelmen's.

assembly. The Asbury and Denver crowds

boomed their towns for the summer meet,

but the attention of the majority was de-

voted to discussion of the proposed white

A proposition from the opponents of the

amendment was made to-night to the effect

that the vote on the question should be by

the amendment do not care to go on record

as voting against it, but are willing to vote for it in secret session. Boston has

been withdrawn from the contest for the

A. A. Zimmerman is working with the As-

bury Park crowd for the summer meet.

The assembly convenes to-morrow morning

at 10 o'clock, and the sessions will proba-bly extend over four days.

LONDON WANTS THE FIGHT.

Negotiations Pending for the Corbett-

Jackson Encounter.

BOSTON, Feb. 18.-Edward C. Holske,

formerly a well-known American sporting

writer, now editor of the Mirror of Life

in London, England, writes to a friend in

this city in relation to the Corbett-Jackson

fight that his paper is prepared to present

the winner of the fight with a handsome

gold watch, chain and locket, representing

200 guineas, providing the match is fought

in London. Mr. Holske says a well-known patron of the sport in London thinks the fight will be in London, and says negotia-

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tions are now on foot to that end.

summer meeting and thrown her influence to Asbury Park. Victory for the New Jer-sey resort is conceded. The election of

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secret ballot. The Eastern delegates for

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SOME FIEND CUT THE ROPE

Eight Men Asphyxiated in a Kansas City Cable Power House.

River Steamer Ohio that Plies Between Cincinnati and Memphis Lost on a Snag Saturday Night.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 18.-A sensational accident occurred over the river here to-day that was thrilling in the extreme, and one never looked for by the managers of the elevated ferry system. For several months past there has been an aerial cable-car line across the Tennessee river near this city, and hundreds have continually flocked there, the ride at a distance of two thousand feet above the river being a particularly exhilarating one, comparing favorably with a trip on the famous Ferris wheel at the world's fair. But this afternoon the gayety which had heretofore reigned supreme in the vicinity was suddenly turned into gloom. Without a moment's warning, while the car, with eight UNVEILED THIS WEEK site side of the river, the cable broke and the car dashed down the incline at a speed. The violent motion car caused the cable wrap around it, and when within about 200 feet from the ground crushed it as though it were an eggshell. One end of the cable struck Oliver Ledgerwood, a prominent young attorney of this city, on the head, killing him instantly. Blood spurted from his wounds, drenching the clothing of the remaining occupants of the car, frightening them so badly that they attempted to jump out of the windows into the river, but were restrained by the brakeman. Finally a tug was secured and anchored directly beneath the dangling car, and the survivors were rescued by means of a rope, each descending hand over hand. They were Miss Alice Waddle, Ledgerwood's sweetheart; William Kibby, Fred McBee, Frank McBee, G. M. Phillips, C. M. Lewis and Henry Hatcher, all prominent people. At the coroner's inquest tonight it was discovered that the cable had been partially severed by an unknown mis-

EIGHT ASPHYXIATED Unlooked for Accident the Result of a Cable Breaking.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 18.-Eight men were overcome by gas in the basement of the power house of the Fifth-street cable road company, and one, Superintendent C. P. Kline, may die. Several strands of the cable broke and became twisted around a gas main in the basement breaking the main in two. Seven conductors and gripmen went down to splice the cable, and while at work were asphyxiated. The break in the gas main was not discovered until the men had succumbed to the gas. Those overcome were:

Superintendent C. P. Kline, condition serious; Assistant Superintendent Voris, Robert Lynch, R. N. Smalley, D. D. Powell, George Hamm, Charles Brooks, William

RIVER STEAMER SUNK.

The Ohio Strikes a Snag and Settles in Twenty-Five Feet of Water. MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 18.-The total loss of the steamer Ohio is announced, the accident having occurred at Cottonwood Port, 130 miles above here. The news was brought here after dark to-night by the steamer Gayoso, Captain Joplin, which boat passed the sunken vessel near dark on Saturday, shortly after the accident, on her voyage from Cairo to Memphis. While backing out from the landing at Cottonwood Point, the Ohio hung fast on a snag or cypress log. which punctured a hole in her hull and caused her to settle with the stern in twenty-five feet of water, and her bow still hung fast and above the water level. The passengers and crew were all out on shore when the Gayoso came by, and they awaited the arrival of the Ferd Herold from this port, on which they expected to take passage from Cairo. The Herold left here about 9 o'clock this morning, and was due at Cottonwood Point some time to-night.

The Ohio had on board as freight some 648 bales of Memphis cotton, chiefly stowed in the hold; also, a lot of hides, scrap iron and sundries. She left here near dark Friday last, and was nearly twenty-four hours out when the accident happened. Pilot John Carroll, of the lost steamer, came to this city on the Gayoso and left by rail for Cincinnati to-night. The second clerk also come down on the Gayoso, but the remain-der of the crew await the Herold. The obstruction by which the Ohio was destroyed is a cypress log or stump which had recent-ly caved off, and the vessel was an hour in sinking. All the passengers and crew are safe, but it is not believed the sunken craft sured in Cincinnati for \$10,000

The Ohio was commanded by Captain John Newton, with Mr. Werhman as clerk. The vessel has been a regular packet of the Memphis and Ohio Company, between Cincinnati and Memphis for ten years. She was formerly the steamer Clifton, but was sunk, afterward raised and her name changed. She has met with several disasters, once having broken a shaft near the same place where she now lies, and at another time she was cut through by the ice while lying at the elevator here. Upon another occasion she was saved by being run over on a sand bar opposite the city, where the hole was stopped. It is expected that the cotton on board will be soaked before it can be got out of the sunken craft.

FOUR STABBED TO DEATH.

Hot Southern Blood of Mexican Cock Fighters Is Aroused.

LEON, Mexico, Feb. 18 .- A grand cocking main was being given at the city of Lazos. near here, last night, when a dispute arose between the owners of two birds pitted against each other. Both men drew knives and attacked each other. Two friends of the men took up the dispute, and the fight became general, resulting in four men being stabbed to death and several others seriously wounded. The riot was finally quelled by the police, who made many ar-

LEROY HARRIS NABBED.

The Bold Postoffice Swindler Caught in Canada Yesterday.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.-Postoffice Inspector Stuart will arrive to-morrow from Buffalo with Leroy Harris, of New York, who is charged with one of the boldest and most original series of crimes in the history of the postal service. He worked all through northern Indiana. Since Jan. 6 Stuart and Inspectors Holmet and Lether-

man, of Cincinnati, have been on the man's trail. Stuart arrested the man in Canada in spite of the treaty regulations. Harris was, until October last, employed as super-intendent of Postal Station L. New York city. He had been in the service for years and was thoroughly conversant with all its details. Jan. 6 he appeared at the post-office in Norton Heights, Conn., and told the postmaster that he was a postoffice inspector and that he had been ordered by the chief of the money order division at Washington to discontinue the postal note and money order business of the town. The postmaster, not suspecting anything, told Harris to go ahead and help himself to all he wanted. He took the next train for the West, writing on the train a lot of bogus letters from a Mrs. William H. Clark to himself, as her husband, including in each two money orders for \$100. He has since worked the game extensively through-out the West. Only yesterday he created a new sensation by "holding up" a number of officials in the commissioner's office at Buffalo with a revolver and making his escape, locking the door on the outside. He was, however, captured again to-day. KOLASINSKI RECANTS.

The Detroit Catholic Priest Disciplined and Forgiven by the Church.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 18.-Father Kolasinski, the Polish Catholic priest, who has been famous for his insubordination for five years past, made his apology to the church to-day, in the presence of Mgr. Sbarretti, auditor to Mgr. Satolli, and an immense congregation. The retraction, however, was read in an almost inaudible voice, although Mgr. Sbarretti repeatedly urged Kolasinski to speak louder. Being read in this manner immediately after a powerful sermon by Father Kolasinski, his retraction was not particularly effective, and the priest's Polish followers seemed to regard it as a secondary matter after all. However, there was considerable rejoicing at the reconciliation, and Mgr. Sbarretti returned to Washington to-night, his mission having been accomplished. The grand new church will be rededicated later, and will be deeded to Bishop Foley after its debts are paid. Another condition of Kolasinski's reinstatement was his deing rem lasinski's reinstatement was his doing pen-ance for a week, which was done in Chi-cago last week. Many Catholics doubt his

President Cleveland Receives Mrs. Harrison's Portrait Thursday.

On That Day the Daughters of the Revolution Begin Their Third Annual Congress in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18 .- To the interesting collection of portraits which hang on the walls of rooms of state in the White House will be added this week a fine picture of Mrs. President Harrison. The donors are the members of the Daughters of of the American Revolution, who will meet here for their third annual congress the last three days of the week, assembling on Washington's birthday. Most of the former mistresses of the White House have received official recognition from the government by permission given that their portraits should be hung in the executive mansion. The Woman's Christian Temperance Union presented some years ago a painting of Mrs. President Hayes, one of the most distinguished exemplars of its principles. Mrs. Harrison was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, holding its highest office and presiding over its deliberations while she was in the White house. President Cleveland has written to the society signifying his willingness to accept the portrait. It was painted by Huntington, of New York, is five feet by seven, and is regarded by critics as an exceptionally fine work. It represents Mrs. Harrison at the age of thirty years, attired in a brocaded gown of cerulean tint, with train held in the left hand.

The congress of the society will be called to order Thursday, Feb. 22, by the president-general, Mrs. Vice President Stevenson, who will deliver an address of welcome. The response will be made by Mrs. James Peck, State regent of Wisconsin. At the evening session the portrait of Mrs. Harrison will be unveiled with appropriate ceremonies, including music by the National Marine Band and the singing of an original hymn, "Our Western Land." The proceedings of Friday and Saturday will be de voted to the business of the society. On Friday afternoon Mrs. Stevenson will give a reception at the Normandie to the congress and visitors. On the evening of Feb. 21 the national society will give a re-ception at the Ebbitt House to the congress and resident members of the society. This is one of the largest patriotic organizations of women in the world, numbering 148 chapters and 4,715 members, in thirtyfour States. The banner State is Connecticut, which has twenty-three regents and 630 members. The second is Pennsylvania, with nineteen regents and 545 members, and the third is New York, with ten chapters and 508 members. The national officers are: President-general, Mrs. Adlai E. Stevenson; president, in charge of organization, Mrs. Ellen Hardin Walworth; recording secretary-general, Mrs. Eugenia Washington; corresponding secretary-general, Mrs. A. Howard Clarke; treasurer-general, Mrs. Marguerite Dickins; registrars-general, Mrs. Charles Sweet Johnson and Mrs. Rosa Wright Smith; historian-general, Mrs. Henry Blount; chaplain-general, Mrs. E. T. Bullock; surgeon-general, Mrs. Mary Desha.

BIG KANSAS CROP.

Recent Snow Will Bring the Yield Up to 100,000,000 Bushels.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 18.-The grain men all say that the recent heavy snow will make a wheat crop of 100,000,000 in Kansas. Despite the low price of wheat and the dry weather last fall, the area seeded was over 4,500,000 acres, according to the latest report of the State Board of Agriculture. This is a greater area than that which produced the phenomenal crop of 1892. The area that year was 4,300,000 acres. The offi-cial crop estimate was 72,500,000 bushels, but many of the best grain shippers in Kansas do not hesitate to declare that the State produced 100,000,000 bushels that year. Wheat from that crop is still coming to

market. A FACETIOUS SUICIDE.

Charles French Leaves Queer Instructions for Disposing of His Body.

BANGOR, Me., Feb. 18.-Charles D. French, peddler and hermit of Orono, blew the top of his head off to-day. He left the

"To the Curious-3:15 p. m., Feb. 17, 1894.-In two hours I shall be dead, shot through the head with a big charge of lead (no poetry intended), and be on the spook route to kingdom come. Disease and poverty the cause. However, no one knows I am in a destitute condition, but I'm in it just the same. Burn, boil, bake, bury, or send my carcass to the phosphate factory, just as the humor strikes von. I'm weak, faint and hungry, but I know how to cancel all my engagements with Mr. Trouble and Mr. Misery, Yours respectfully, "CHARLES D. FRENCH."

TWO NEGROES LYNCHED.

The Mob Didn't Know Which Was Guilty and Hanged and Shot Both.

SELMA, Ala., Feb. 18 .- Details of the lynching at Stanton, Chilton county, reached here to-day. Instead of putting one negro to death the mob hanged and shot two. Last Friday Mrs. Jessie Rucker was found in a dying condition at her home. She lived long enough to tell that she had been assaulted and beaten by a colored man, and gave a meager description of her assailant. A posse was at once organized. A negro who could not give a proper account of himself was found soon after the search began. Later in the day another ne-

gro, who answered Mrs. Rucker's discription, was captured. The evidence was thought to be conclusive that one of the men was guilty of the crime; the mob could not determine which. Each denied his guilt. To be sure that the right man was punished, both were strung up to a limb. After being lynched their bodies were riddled with

MANUAL TRAINING TEACHERS.

National Association the Result of the World's Fair Congress.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 18 .- One of the results of the international congress on education in Chicago last July is the organization of the Manual Training Teachers' Association of America to secure co-operation in study and experiment for the development of manual training and to promote the professional interests of its members. At a meeting of class room teachers the plan and scope of the associa-tion was considered, and a committee on constitution was appointed. The constitu-tion was adopted. The officers of the asso-ciation are George B. Kilton, Springfield, Mass., president; George S. Waite, of To-ledo, vice president; George Robbins, of Frankfort, Ky., secretary and treasurer. These constitute the executive committee, which is now making arrangements for a summer meeting.

APACHE KID'S SQUAW

She Wore a Ring with Six Notches Indicating Six Murders.

Governor Hughes, of Sonora, Offers a Reward of \$55,000 for the Renegade Kid, Dead or Alive.

TUCSON, Ariz., Feb. 18 .- Advices from Bunker Hill, where Apache Kid made his recent fight, state that Apache scouts who examined the dead squaw, say she was Kid's wife, and they were en route from squaw had on a ring with six marks, which the Apaches say represent six murders. These, added to eleven others, whom Kid and his followers have killed during the past two years in Arizona, indicate the ravages of this renegade. It is asserted he has killed three times as many Mexicans in Sonora. Governor Hughes yesterday issued a reward of \$55,000 for the Kid, dead or alive. The Governor has for the last three months been devising means by which the wily renegade could be taken. A heavy snowfall gives hopes of success. Outside of Kid and followers there are no Indian trou-

THE CHESS MASTERS.

Showalter, Steinitz, Albin and Lasker Entertaining New Yorkers.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.-The fourth game in the chess championship between A. B. Hodges and Jackson W. Showalter, which was played to-day, was a draw. The score now stands: Showalter, 2; Hodges, 0;

At the monthly reception of the Brooklyn Chess Club, last night, William Steinitz, chess champion of the world, conducted simultaneously twelve games against twenty-four opponents, two consulting on each board. The team put up by the club was very strong. Steinitz won nine games, lost two and drew one.

Play in the chess match between Adolf Albin, of Vienna, and Eugene Delmar, of this city, was continued yesterday and today, Albin being victorious on both occasions. The score nows stands: Albin, 3; Delmar. Emanuel Lasker has requested William Steinitz to consent to a further reduction

of stakes in their proposed match for the chess championship of the world. The stakes have already been reduced from \$3,000 to \$2,500 and \$2,250 a side. Lasker now wants to play for only \$2,000 a side.

RESCUE NEAR AT HAND.

The Entombed Galord Miners Will Be Rescued To-Morrow Night.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 18.-The rescuing party at the Gaylord mine worked steadily all day and succeeded in making rapid progress. The work of digging and timbering is being pushed at the greatest possible vigor, and it is now believed that there will be no further "squeeze." Superintendent Davis, who is in charge, is firm in the opinion that if no further obstacle intervenes some, if not all, of the men will be found, dead or alive, within the next forty-eight hours. The pastors in almost every church in Plymouth alluded in touching language, during services to-day, to the great disaster that has brought gloom and distress to so many Plymouth homes, and urged that the hand of charity be extended to those who are in such dire need of assist-

THE "DIXIE" FAIR.

Arrangements for the South's Annual Exposition.

MACON, Ga., Feb. 18.-The "Dixie" interstate fair in Macon in the fall of this year will represent the South for the expositions of 1894. The exposition will be held for a period of thirty days under the auspices of the Macon Exposition Company and the State Agricultural Society. The exposition will be chiefly agricultural and industrial, and the city of Macon will spend a large sum of money in making the undertaking a success. A magnificent park of 237 acres with circular mile track has been given by the city for the purpose, and buildings covering a large part of the ground will be erected during the summer

BILL NYE BETTER.

His Manager Says He Will Fill His Next Date Which Is Tuesday.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 18 .- A special to the Express from Niagara Falls says that Bill Nye, who suddenly became ill there yesterday, is somewhat improved. His managers say positively that he will fill his next date, which is Tuesday, Feb. 20, while the doctor who is attending him is not so sanguine. In any event, it is probable that rest will bring him around all right in a short time.

A COLORADO GUSHER.

Monster Natural Gas Well Said to Have Been Struck.

GARRISON, Col., Feb. 18 .- A flow of natural gas was tapped on a ranch a few miles north of here at a depth of seven hundred feet when boring an artesian well. The gas came up with such force as to throw a flame forty feet in the air.

CARTRIDGES FOR HONOLULU.

Mysteriously Consigned Cases Sent on the Australia.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18 .- When the steamship Australia sailed for Honolulu vesterday afternoon she carried a consignment of fifty cases of rifle cartridges addressed only by a cabalistic mark. Each of the fifty cases weighed from sixty to eighty pounds.

Nabbed in Canada.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 18.—Leroy Harris, the alleged postoffice swindler, who held up five United States officials with a big revolver, on Saturday afternoon, walked out of the room and locked the door behind him, was captured at Clifton, Ont., to-day,

President Cleveland Might Nominate a Republican to the Bench.

Evidence to Show that the Administration Frankly Indorsed Maynard in the New York Election.

DELAY IN THE COMMITTEE

Tariff Bill Cannot Come Before the Senate for Days Yet.

The Sugar Schedule to Be the Last Point Taken Up-Ohio Congressmen Favor the Woman Suffrage Issue.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WASHINGTON, Feb. 18 .- President Cleveland is being urged to nominate a capable Republican or mugwump to the Supreme Court vacancy to which he nominated Hornblower and Peckham. The vacancy was filled by a Republican, Justice Blatchford. There are on the bench two Democratic Associate Justices appointed by Republican Presidents. Justice Field, of California, was appointed by President Lincoln, and Justice Jackson, of Tennessee, by President Harrison. There are many Republicans in New York as fit for the position as either Hornblower or Peckham, who would not be objectionable to Hill or Murphy, and a number of other Democratic Senators, and who would command the united support of all the Republican and Populist Senators. Ex-Senator, and now Representative Henry W. Blair, a Republican, of New Hompshire,

believes President Cleveland should appoint

a Republican to the vacancy, and says the

position rightfully belongs to the Republican

party. He adds: "Mr. Cleveland could thus throw on Mr. Hill the onus of having deprived the Democrats of another representative on the bench. When the nomination came before the Senate the Republicans would certainly support the nominee if he were a fit man for the place, and the administration Democrata would support him as they support every-thing the President does. I should like to see the President follow out this suggestion. As for Mr. Hill, it seems to me that he will be the strongest Eastern man in the Democratic party when the time comes to make nominations in 1896. This will certainly be the case if he continues to manifest as much strength as he has developed since he has entered the Senate. American political history has few instances-and, indeed, I do not now recall one-where a Senator has successfully led two big fights against an administration. Sumner went down before Grant and Conkling before Garfield, but Hill has come out on top twice in succession. If he do not lose his hold on New York he will be a formidable candidate."

HILL NOT ALL TO BLAME. Bearing on the rejection of Wheeler H. Peckham's nomination, the Evening Star last evening quotes a Senator who voted against confirmation as follows:

"I have no desire," this Senator began by saying, "to detract from Mr. Hill's prominence in the contest. He organized the opposition to the confirmation and to a certain extent led it. He is a plucky man and a capable manager. It is true, however, that Mr. Peckham's defeat was largely due to the President and to the absurd arguments employed by certain Democratio leaders and newspapers in urging the Senate to indorse the appointment. The most absurd of all propositions to those familiar with the facts is that the Hill wing of the New York Democracy is alone tainted with the Maynard episode. Whatever of wrong there may have been in that transaction, and however culpable Judge Maynard himself may be, both wings of the New York Democracy have enjoyed the usufruct of it, and the nearest friends and supporters of Mr. Cleveland have since carried themselves toward Judge Maynard in a way fully authorizing the assumption that they must have condoned his offense. The facts justifying this assertion are these: "Last fall when the time had come for conferences between the two factions on the subject of a State ticket, Colonel La-mont made half a dozen visits to New York to consult with Richard Croker and representatives of Senator Hill. The ma-chine was all powerful. The ticket had practically been named without any sort of reference to the administration's wishes or interests. Not an administration man had been slated for anything. George B. McClellan, jr., Croker's protege, was to lead the ticket for Secretary of State, and Isaac H. Maynard was to be the candidate for judge of the Court of Appeals. But at the last moment the machine leaders consented to a truce. It was represented to them that peace was better than war, union better than division. The proposition could not be gainsaid, and a combination ticket, warranted to bring both factions to the polls, was substituted. In this transaction tion. Cook Meyer, of Brooklyn, an outand-out Cleveland man, was put at the head of the ticket in place of young Mc-Clellan, and a friend of Senator Hill from Syracuse, who had been slated for Treasurer, made way for Hugh Duffy, of Cort-land, an old neighbor and warm personal friend of Colonei Lamont. But Maynard was not disturbed. Lamont and his friends accepted him, and in putting Meyer and Duffy on the ticket with him pledged him their support. These things were not done in a corner. The campaign progressed, with Meyer and Duffy working Maynard whole ticket, included, and urging their supporters to go to the polls and not only assist them to office, but Judge Maynard as well, to a full term on the bench. In fact, so anxious were the administration people to give evidence of their faithfulness and sincerity that Colonel Lamont traveled all the way from Washington to cast his vote for the ticket he had helped to make. The morning after the election the metropolitan newspapers all contained descriptions of the Colonel's arrival at the polls; how he alighted from his carriage and made his way through the line to the booth, carrying rather ostentatiously a straight ticket in his hand. That he deposited the ticket in the box nobody has ever doubted, or can

nearest friend and confidential adviser helping to make a ticket with Maynard's name on it, supporting that ticket in the brief campaign that followed and voting for it at the polls in a way to encourage others to do the same thing. If this had not been agreeable to Mr. Cleveland would he not and should he not have rebuked it? And since he did not rebuke it, is it not entirely fair to say that he approved it? "The rejection of Mr. Peckham by the ald of Republican Senators like Mr. Mor-rill, Mr. Allison, Mr. Manderson and others, who take a just and seemly view of matters, is the answer to the question. The talk to them that Mr. Peckham was being opposed by the Hill people because of his activity against Mr. Maynard struck them as being comical when they considered that the man who had sent Mr. Peckham's name in stood committed himself to Maynard through the activity and public support of his closest Cabinet adviser, the Secretary of War. They were utterly unable to reconcile the two things, and their vote for rejection was their method of expressing their disgust with the whole illogical and inex-"Then the Maynard episode will not work?" was asked. "The Maynard incident is closed, so far as the President is concerned," was the replay. "Maynard's conduct has been justly characterized and whipped by the people of New York, but the record shows that the President had no part or lot in administering that whip, and it does not lie in the mouth of his friends to claim anything for him on that score. The Supreme Court vacancy ought to be, and must be, filled, without reference to the faction fights in the ranks of the New York Democracy. "Senators here have had the fights so much before them of late that they have been studying them, and have arrived at a conclusion about them. They are not enamored of either side. Of the two, however, they are beginning to lean more to-ward Mr. Hill's than toward the Presi-

dent's. Mr. Hill makes a compact, keeps

it, and stands by those who stand by him, The President at times seems to be willing

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"Here we see, therefore, the President's